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- 4 MS. BARRITT: My name is Marion Barritt,
- 5 M-a-r-i-o-n; B-a-r-r-i-t-t.
- 6 MS. BARRITT: I am very much against storing
- 7 nuclear fuel in Yucca Mountain in Nevada, partly because
- 8 it is close to a very populated area -- 100 miles away
- 9 from Las Vegas -- partly because I think it's in an area
- 10 that is subject to earthquakes.
- I don't think we can guarantee that it will be
- 12 safe there for thousands of years, so I am considering not
- 13 just our generation, but future generations when I talk
- 14 about it being unsafe.
- I worry also about transportation issues,
- 16 transporting it from other states, considering some of the
- 17 transportation problems that we have seen over the past
- 18 ten years with chemical loads and trucks and railroad
- 19 cars. So, I don't think we can guarantee that it will be
- 20 safely transported through numerous states to Nevada.
- I am upset that Nevada is really the only state
- 22 that was considered for storage. I think there are a lot
- 23 of other states that have more open space than we do --
- 24 Texas being one of them, having driven through there
- 25 numerous times. I guess I'm negative on it.

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- 1 MR. WARD: Is that it, then?
- 2 MS. BARRITT: I don't want to see the nuclear
- 3 waste stored in Nevada, period.